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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of under 37 CFR 1.53(b):  
 INVENTOR(S): Yin-Chu LAI

TITLE: COMPOSITE TABLEWARE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

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Specification  
 5 Sheets of drawings  
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Convention priority is claimed  
 English Translation Document  
 An executed Assignment in favor of LAYANA COMPANY  
 Small entity status is claimed  
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<u>Multiple Dependent Claims Presented</u> + \$145 =	<u>+ \$290 =</u>	
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